

A-Z of Fundraising

If you'd like to have some fun and raise money for Burma Campaign UK, we've got a fantastic A to Z of fundraising ideas to get you started.

A

Auction, Arts and Crafts Sale, Abseiling, Apple Bobbing - a perfect fundraiser for Halloween.

В

Bad Hair and Tie Day, Burns Night, Barbeque, Bungee Jump, Beat the Goalie, Busking, Book Group - get members to make a donation every time you meet. BMyCharity web page - email it to friends and they can sponsor you online.

С

Car wash, Coffee Morning, Cake Sale, Ceilidh, Clothes Swap, Concert, Comedy Night, Carol Singing, Come Dine With Me - take turns to cook up a slap up dinner and mark each other with pounds instead of points.

D

Dress Down Day, Disco, Dog Wash, Dinner Party, Dance Marathon.

Ε

Exhibition, Easter Egg Hunt, Errands, Education - fundraise with your friends from School or uni.

F

Fairtrade Tea Party, Film Night, Fashion Show, Fancy Dress, Face Painting, Football tournament.

G

Gig, Garden Party, Global Dinner, Guess the... height, weight, name of, number of - the possibilities are endless.

Η

Halloween Party, Hurl the Haggis, Homemade - set up a stall at your school, work or parish hall and ask people to bring in crafts and homebaking.

Indian Night, Ironing, It's a Knockout, Inspired Ideas - think of new and exciting ways to raise money based on your own interests.

J

Jumble Sale, Jelly Eating Contest, Clear out your attic and take it to the boot fair.

Κ

Karaoke Evening, Kite Flying Contest, Knitting, Keep Fit - take on a sponsored sporting event or hold a fitness themed day at your work or school.

L

Lawn Mowing, London Marathon - apply for a place and run for Burma, Lent Lunch – organise a simple meal of bread and soup one day a week during Lent and ask people to donate their lunch money.

Μ

Masquerade Ball, Murder Mystery Night, Marathon, Magic Show, Massage - offer a relaxing massage service in exchange for donations.

Ν

New York Marathon, Non-Uniform Day, Name the ... doll, teddy bear, tortoise - get friends to guess for a small prize.

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Orienteering, Odd Jobs, Obstacle Course - set up a crazy course full of twists, turns and surprises and ask competitors for a donation in exchange for taking part.

Ρ

Pancake day Party, Play, Panto, Pin the Tail on the Donkey, Pram Push, Penny Collection - save up all the 1, 2 and 5 pence coins you get in your change. It'll soon add up.

Q

Quiz Night, Quiet Time - hold a sponsored silence for Burma.

R

Run, Race Night, Random Acts of Kindness (in exchange for donations), Raffle - If you're holding a ceilidh, concert, disco or fete, why not tag on a raffle and raise even more money for Burma.

S

Sponsored event, Swim-a-thon, Soup Kitchen, Sumo Wrestling, Santa's Grotto, Strictly Come Dancing.

Т

Trekking in the Arctic, Talent Show, Tug of War, Teddy Bears Picnic, Tombola - ask local shops and businesses to donate prizes.

U

University Challenge, Unwanted Gifts Sale, Upside Down Day.

V

Variety Show, Vegetarian Dinner Party, Valentine's Day - hold a love-themed party, make cards

to sell and charge for hand delivery, or if you're feeling brave start your own barbershop quartet and deliver songagrams.

W

Wine Tasting, Window Cleaning Service, Walk for Burma in May every year.

X

X-Factor Night, X-treme Frisbee Tournament - in the local pub or in the local park.

Y

Yard Sale, Yoga Session, Yoyo Contest, Yoghurt Stall - buy tubs of natural yoghurt and add fruit, nuts, honey and other goodies to order. You could even make your own frozen yoghurt to sell.

Ζ

Zoo Party, Zip-Slide, Zebra Dinner Dance (a sophisticated evening with a monochrome theme), Zorbing - if you've always dreamed of raising cash by rolling down a hill inside a massive, inflatable plastic ball, then this is just what the doctor ordered.

5 Tips to help you Fundraise

1 Set up a BMyCharity webpage

Set up a simple fundraising webpage here: www.Bmycharity.com/burmacampaign

Supporters can then sponsor you securely and quickly online. You could send your BMyCharity address to all your email contacts with the link to encourage them to sponsor you online.

2 Enlist the help of others

Ask friends to take sponsorship forms to their places of work or to their friends and family. Always carry a sponsorship form with you and don't be afraid to ask!

3 Ask your employer

Ask your employer if they would match the donations you collect pound for pound.

4 Have a high profile

Have a high profile. Contact your local newspaper or company newsletter and tell them about what you are doing and how readers can sponsor you. Contact us for a sample press release.

5 Get in touch

Get in touch with Burma Campaign UK for more help and advice with your fundraising. If you require any fundraising materials such as collecting tins, postcards, sponsorship forms or for more information about our work, please do not hesitate to contact us.

For help and information with your fundraising, contact us on: 020 7324 4710 or fundraising@burmacampaign.org.uk



Thank You!

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